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Ms. Marlene Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Room TWB204 Washington, D.C. 20054

Re: Ex Parte Presentation in MB Dkt. No. 00-167

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The above-captioned proceeding is not restricted and therefore presentations are permitted but must be disclosed. Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter serves as notice that on January 23, 2006 a meeting was held with Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate, Andrew Long, and the following persons:

Angela Campbell, Institute for Public Representation Patti Miller, Children Now Gloria Tristani, Office of Communication of the United Church of Christ, Inc. Anne Lucey, CBS Jeff McIntrye, American Psychological Association Marjorie Tharp, American Academy of Pediatrics Todd Haiken, National Parent Teacher Association Marvin Ammori, Institute for Public Representation Nicole Janes, Institute for Public Representation Rina-Ann Hunter, Institute for Public Representation Jennifer Prime, Institute for Public Representation Susan Mort, Time Warner Inc. Catherine Carroll, Discovery Communications DeDe Lea, Viacom Susan Fox, Disney Bill LeBeau. NBC Universal

During the meeting, the parties discussed the FCC's children's television rules and policies. First, the parties explained that the Commission adopted children's television policies in the 1970's. Second, the parties discussed the FCC's implementation of the Children's Television Act of 1990. Third, the parties presented their joint proposal for modification to the rules adopted *In the Matter of Children's Television Obligations of Digital Television*, 19 FCC Rcd 22,943 (2004). The details of this proposal are contained in the attached Term Sheet and Press Release.

The parties also discussed the programming that the broadcast and cable industries offer to children, and noted that the FCC's Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking regarding interactive advertising is still pending. Also, Patti Miller provided the Commissioner and Mr. Long with a copy of the attached Children Now policy briefs.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Jennifer Prime

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cc: Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate Andrew Long